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Blaine Johnson, Commissioner Ogden River Distribution System 1615 E Shadow Valley Dr Ogden Ut 84403

re: Delinquent assessments on the Ogden River Distribution System

Dear Blaine:

We are making a concerted effort to follow up on all distribution assessment accounts which have been delinquent for more than two years. We are finding it difficult to follow up on some accounts because it appears the ownership or address information on both the water right file and the distribution account are out of date.

In the Ogden River Distribution System, the ownership or address information that we have on the following accounts is not sufficient or is too outdated to allow us to send out the assessment notices.

Account Number Owner as listed on the account Unknown

Would you please check any sources that you may have and determine, if possible, the current water users who should be assessed as the owners of these accounts? We have attached a printout of each assessment account including any previous owners that we are aware of and a printout of the water rights that we believe are associated with each account.

Please bring any information that you might be able to find to the next annual distribution meeting. We would like to discuss these accounts at that meeting. If it appears there is no water use under the water right and if current owner or address information cannot be obtained, it will probably be recommended that the account be eliminated from the system or put in an inactive status. This action would delete any existing outstanding balance due on the account and would prevent any future assessments and delinquencies from being added to it.

If you have any questions concerning this request please contact me at (801)538-7380 or John Larsen at (801)538-7431. Thank you for your help.

Sincerely,

Lee H. Sim, P.E.

Assistant State Engineer for Distribution

cc:John Mann Regional Engineer